CHAPTER NO. 927

SENATE BILL NO. 3901

By Kyle, Jackson, Burks, Herron, Finney0

Substituted for: House Bill No. 4034

By McMillan, Coleman, Strader, McKee, Roach, Sontany, Campfield, DuBois, Marrero, Lois DeBerry, Sherry Jones, Langster, Baird, Hargrove, Brown, Favors, Bone

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, Chapter 2, relative to sex crimes committed against children.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-2-101, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

(g) A person may be prosecuted, tried and punished for any offense committed against a child on or after the effective date of this act that constitutes a criminal offense under the provisions of §§ 39-13-502 – 39-13-505, § 39-13-522, § 39-13-527 or § 39-15-302 no later than twenty-five (25) years from the date such child becomes eighteen (18) years of age.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 27, 2006

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER JSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 20th day of June

2006

PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR